## APHA Director Member Information

## Personal Information



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## **Education and Business Experience**

Education BA, English, Southern New Hampshire University

Business Experience Clinical Systems Analyst

Community Medical Centers

Fresno, CA 1999 - present

## APHA/Horse Involvement, Membership and Service

APHA/Paint Involvement

My involvement with Paints began in 1996 when my oldest child began taking lessons from a trainer and showing on the Paint circuit. He went on to show for more than 10 years, with his younger brother joining him in 2004. I was the horse show mom, but occasionally showed myself. They went off to college and we all took a break. Then, in 2017 I came back to the sport and purchased a Paint mare. Since then I have owned and shown several Paints, including my current horse "Heaven Sent a Star".

Membership and Service

Within the California Paint horse community, I have been an active member off and on since my sons showed, beginning in 1996. I've been a member of every club in California, choosing to support each one with a membership annually, but have been most active this year with the San Joaquin Paint Horse Club (who are nominating me for the role of National Director). I have been involved with the California Coordinating Committee (CCC) since 2020. I am currently serving as SJPHC's club representative to the CCC.